



CMHDA's Legislative Bill Matrix

CMHDA 2009-2010 Legislative Update as of 1/30/2012		
Bill Author	Description	Position
AB 39 Beall	Special education: funding. (Introduced 12/06/2010) Would require the department to allocate \$57,000,000 of those moneys to county mental health departments for purposes of providing special education services, thereby making an appropriation. The bill also would require the Superintendent of Public Instruction and county mental health directors to jointly convene a technical working group to develop a transitional program to transfer the responsibilities associated with providing special education services from county mental health departments to the State Department of Education. This bill contains other related provisions. Status: 01/24/2011-Referred to Com. on ED.	Watch
AB 40 Yamada	Elder abuse: reporting. (Amended 03/21/2011) Would require the mandated reporter , and authorize any person who is not a mandated reporter, to report the abuse to both the local ombudsman and the local law enforcement agency. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. Status: 07/08/2011-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(10). (Last location was HUM. S. on 6/14/2011)	Watch
AB 43 Monning	Medi-Cal: eligibility. (Amended 05/27/2011) Would require the department to establish, by January 1, 2014, eligibility for Medi-Cal benefits for any person who meets these eligibility requirements. This bill would permit the department, to the extent permitted by federal law, to phase in coverage for those individuals. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. Status: 01/23/2012-In Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. for assignment.	Jt. Support with CSAC
AB 62 Monning	Medi-Cal: dual eligibles: pilot projects. (Amended 06/27/2011) Would authorize the department to also establish these pilot projects pursuant to a request for proposal from the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. This bill would require the department to consult with stakeholders, including, among others, representatives of advocacy organizations, persons with disabilities, seniors, and representatives of legal services agencies that serve dual eligibles , on a regular basis throughout the development and implementation of the pilot projects. Status: 08/22/2011-In Senate. Held at Desk.	Watch
AB 70 Monning	State Department of Public Health: funding opportunities. (Amended 01/23/2012) Would provide that, in regard to a request for applications, a funding opportunity announcement, or other similar solicitation, if specified requirements are met, the State Department of Public Health may enter into an agreement with another eligible applicant making that applicant the lead agency, as specified. This bill would require a lead agency designee, among other things, to agree in advance to terms and conditions of the designation, set by the department, as specified. Status: 01/26/2012-Read third time. Passed. Ordered to the Senate.	Support
AB 154 Beall	Health care coverage: mental health services. (Amended 01/23/2012) Would expand this coverage requirement for certain health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2013 , to include the diagnosis and treatment of a mental illness of a person of any age and would define mental illness for this purpose as a mental disorder defined in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders IV (DSM-IV) , including substance abuse but excluding nicotine dependence and specified diagnoses defined in the manual, subject to regulatory revision, as specified. The bill would specify that this requirement does not apply to a health care benefit plan, contract, or health insurance policy with the Board of Administration of the Public Employees' Retirement System unless the board elects to purchase a plan, contract, or policy that provides mental health coverage. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. Status: 01/26/2012-Read third time. Passed. Ordered to the Senate.	Jt. Support with CSAC
AB 557 John A. Pérez	Veterans: National Guard: California Interagency Council on Veteran Services and Programs. (Amended 07/14/2011) Would create in state government the California Interagency Council on Veteran Services and Programs, composed of specified members, for the purpose of bringing together key state agencies and departments, federal officials, legislative representatives, local governments, and stakeholder organizations to ensure that the state's programs that serve veterans are efficiently administered and properly integrated with federal and local government and other stakeholder organizations. The bill's provisions would remain in effect until December 31, 2017. Status: 08/26/2011-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(11). (Last location was APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 8/16/2011)	Watch
AB 1167 Fong	Homelessness: Interagency Council on Homelessness. (Amended 06/21/2011) Would create the California Interagency Council on Homelessness. This bill would provide that the council be composed of specified members and would require the council to hold public meetings at least once every quarter. This bill would authorize the council to perform various activities, including acting as the lead for coordinating and planning the state's response to homelessness and would require the council to seek all available federal funding for purposes of funding the council and its activities. Status: 08/26/2011-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(11). (Last location was APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 8/16/2011)	Support
AB 1209 Cook	Department of Veterans Affairs: veterans' services. (Amended 05/04/2011) Would appropriate the sum of \$7,300,000 from the General Fund to the Department of Veterans Affairs to provide for specified veterans' services. Status: 07/13/2011-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(10). (Last location was APPR. on 5/11/2011)	Watch
AB 1226 Cook	Crimes. (Amended 08/16/2011) Would make it a felony for a parent, guardian, or caregiver having the care, custody, and control of a child under 18 years of age to knowingly fail to report the child's death and the location of the child's remains to law enforcement, emergency medical personnel, or the coroner within 2 hours of the discovery of the child's death or as soon as possible thereafter if reasonable and expedient means to notify were not previously available. This bill would provide that the reporting requirement described above is fulfilled if the child dies in a hospital or other medical care facility or under the care of a licensed medical professional. The bill would further	Watch

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	make it a felony for a parent, guardian, or caregiver having the care, custody, and control of a child under 12 years of age to knowingly fail to report the child's disappearance to law enforcement within 48 hours of the child's disappearance or as soon as possible thereafter if reasonable and expedient means to notify were not previously available. By creating new crimes, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. Status: 08/18/2011-Withdrawn from committee. Re-referred to Com. on RLS. Re-referred to Com. on PUB. S.	
SB 9 Yee	Sentencing. (Amended 09/06/2011) Would authorize a prisoner who was under 18 years of age at the time of committing an offense for which the prisoner was sentenced to life without parole to submit a petition for recall and resentencing to the sentencing court, and to the prosecuting agency, as specified. The bill would prohibit a prisoner who tortured his or her victim or whose victim was a public safety official, as defined, from filing a petition for recall and resentencing. The bill would require the petition to include a statement from the defendant that includes, among other things, his or her remorse and work towards rehabilitation. The bill would establish certain criteria, at least one of which shall be asserted in the petition, to be considered when a court decides whether to conduct a hearing on the petition for recall and resentencing and additional criteria to be considered by the court when deciding whether to grant the petition. The bill would require the court to hold a hearing if the court finds that the statements in the defendant's petition are true, as specified. The bill would apply retroactively, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions. Status: 09/08/2011-Read second time. Ordered to third reading. Hearing: 01/30/12 26 ASM SENATE THIRD READING FILE	Support
SB 366 Calderon	Regulations: agency review. (Introduced 02/15/2011) Would until January 1, 2013, require each state agency, defined, to mean every state office, officer, department, division, bureau, board, and commission, except the California State University within 180 days of the effective date of the bill, to undertake specified actions in regards to the regulations that have been adopted by the state agency, including, among others, identifying any regulations that are duplicative, overlapping, inconsistent, or out of date, and adopting, amending, or repealing regulations to reconcile or eliminate any duplication, overlap, inconsistency, or out-of-date provisions, after conducting a publicly noticed hearing, as specified, and using procedures for adopting emergency regulations. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. Status: 05/10/2011-Hearing postponed by committee. (Refers to 5/10/2011 hearing)	Under review
SB 393 Hernandez	Medical homes. (Amended 05/31/2011) Would establish the Patient-Centered Medical Home Act of 2011 and would define medical home and other terms, as specified . Status: 07/08/2011-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(10). (Last location was HEALTH on 6/16/2011)	Watch
SB 486 Dutton	California Children and Families Program: funding. (Introduced 02/17/2011) Would abolish the California Children and Families Commission and the county children and families commissions, effective 90 days after the bill's provisions are approved by the voters, and would repeal related provisions. This bill would require that its provisions be submitted to the voters for approval at the next statewide election. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. Status: 04/12/2011-Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.	Watch
SB 662 DeSaulnier	Public services. (Amended 05/31/2011) Would contingent upon a specified finding made by the Director of Finance, authorize the Department of Finance and any county to enter into a contract that would authorize the county to integrate public services, as specified. The bill would require the Legislative Analyst's Office to provide an analysis of any contract entered into pursuant to these provisions, and would require the Legislature to ratify the contract by an enactment of a bill . The bill would also require the applicable county board of supervisors to ratify the contract. The bill would provide that a contract would last 10 years, and would require the county to report to the Department of Finance and the Legislature on the progress towards meeting the goals of the contract during the 5th year. Status: 07/08/2011-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(10). (Last location was HUM. S. on 6/20/2011)	Defer to CSAC
SB 677 Hernandez	Medi-Cal: eligibility. (Amended 05/23/2011) Would provide, to the extent required by federal law, that the department shall not apply an assets or resources test for purposes of determining eligibility for Medi-Cal or under a Medi-Cal waiver, except as specified. This bill would also require, to the extent required by federal law, the department to use the modified adjusted gross income of an individual, or the household income of a family, if applicable, for the purposes of determining income eligibility for Medi-Cal or under a Medi-Cal waiver, except as specified. The bill would provide that these provisions shall become operative on January 1, 2014. Because each county is responsible for making Medi-Cal eligibility determinations, the bill would increase the duties of county officials and would thereby impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. Status: 01/26/2012-In Assembly. Read first time. Held at Desk.	Jt. Support with CSAC
SB 678 Negrete McLeod	Probation: community corrections multidisciplinary teams. (Amended 06/29/2011) Would in addition, authorize counties, for purposes of providing evidence-based practices and supervision , to convene community corrections multidisciplinary teams engaged in providing community corrections supervision and evidenced-based rehabilitation programs, as specified. The bill would require each community corrections multidisciplinary team to maintain an informed consent policy in order to authorize the sharing of confidential, privileged, or protected information among members of the team, as specified. The bill would additionally require the county probation officer in each county utilizing a community corrections multidisciplinary team to develop and implement a memorandum of understanding between the agencies participating in the community corrections multidisciplinary team that includes, among other things, a description of the types of information and writings that may be shared between team members. Status: 07/08/2011-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(10). (Last location was PUB. S. on 6/29/2011)	Support
SB 920 Hernandez	Medi-Cal: hospitals. (Amended 01/04/2012) Existing law provides for the Medi-Cal program, which is administered by the State Department of Health Care Services and under which qualified low-income persons receive health care services. The Medi-Cal program is, in part, governed and funded by federal Medicaid Program provisions. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to those provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. Status: 01/23/2012-In Assembly. Read first time. Held at Desk.	Watch
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